# MILWAUKEE COUNTY CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MEETING Thursday, January 28, 2021 3:47p.m. Telephonic

## **Minutes**

# **ROLL CALL:**

Present: Dr. Karen Jackson, Mr. Carlos Pastrana, Ms. Janet Cleary and Ms. Maria Monteagudo. Dr. Elliott Moeser arrived at 3:53 p.m.

1. Introduction of the Interim Secretary to the Civil Service Commission, Mr. Genaro Baez.

**ACTION:** Informational only, no action was taken. Mr. Baez introduced himself as the interim Secretary to the Civil Service Commission. He will serve in this role until the position can be filled.

2. The Secretary to the Civil Service Commission requests the approval of the Civil Service Commission minutes from September 17, 2020.

Recommendation of the Department of Human Resources: Approve.

**ACTION:** Dr. Karen Jackson made a motion to approve the minutes from the September 17, 2020 Civil Service Commission meeting: it was seconded by Ms. Janet Cleary.

Ayes – 4: Dr. Karen Jackson, Mr. Carlos Pastrana, Ms. Janet Cleary and Ms. Maria Monteagudo.

Noes – 0:

3. The Secretary to the Civil Service Commission forwards the approved minutes of the Milwaukee County Personnel Review Board of September 8, September 22, October 6, October 20, November 4, November 17, December 1 and December 15, 2020 and January 12, 2021.

Recommendation of the Department of Human Resources: Receive & Place on File.

**ACTION:** So ordered.

4. From the Chief Human Resources Officer submitting a proposed rule change from the Milwaukee County Board for Rule VII (Separations; Suspensions), Section 4 (Causes for discharge, suspension or demotion and/or reevaluation) regarding the use of chokeholds and asphyxia by County employees.

Appearances: Margo Franklin, Chief Human Resources Officer, Department of Human Resources Molly Zillig, Chief Legal Counsel and Compliance Officer, Office of the Sheriff Theodore Chisholm, Chief of Staff, Office of the Sheriff Kathryn West, Assistant Corporation Counsel, Office of the Corporation Counsel

**ACTION:** Dr. Karen Jackson made a motion to approve the rule change; it was seconded by Mr. Carlos Pastrana.

Ayes – 5: Dr. Karen Jackson, Dr. Elliott Moeser, Mr. Carlos Pastrana, Ms. Janet Cleary and Ms. Maria Monteagudo.

### Noes - 0:

5. 2021 Civil Service Commission Meeting Schedule.

**ACTION:** Mr. Carlos Pastrana made a motion to schedule the next Civil Service Commission meeting for

March 25, 2021 and in the months of May, July, September and November of 2021; it was

seconded by Ms. Janet Cleary.

Ayes – 5: Dr. Karen Jackson, Dr. Elliott Moeser, Mr. Carlos Pastrana, Ms. Janet Cleary and Ms. Maria

Monteagudo.

Noes - 0

6. Civil Service Commission Outside Legal Counsel and Hearing Examiner Contract Extensions.

**ACTION:** Ms. Janet Cleary made a motion to approve the extensions and amendments to the contracts for

the Civil Service Commission outside legal counsel and hearing examiner; it was seconded by

Dr. Karen Jackson.

Ayes – 5: Dr. Karen Jackson, Dr. Elliott Moeser, Mr. Carlos Pastrana, Ms. Janet Cleary and Ms. Maria

Monteagudo.

Noes - 0

# **Meeting Adjournment**

**ACTION:** Ms. Janet Cleary made a motion to adjourn the meeting; it was seconded by Mr. Carlos

Pastrana.

Ayes – 5: Dr. Karen Jackson, Dr. Elliott Moeser, Mr. Carlos Pastrana, Ms. Janet Cleary and Ms. Maria

Monteagudo.

Noes - 0

Meeting adjourned at 4:32 p.m.

Approved by:

Genaro Baez

Secretary to the Civil Service Commission

AN: at

C: Personnel Review Board